



Hon'ble Court on 8<sup>th</sup> July, 2013, when the Court was pleased to pass the following order:-

**"Permission to file special leave petitions is granted.**

**Issue notice.**

Since Mr. Colin Gonsalves, learned senior advocate, represents the Respondent No.1, service of notice on the said respondent is dispensed with. The respondent will be entitled to file its counter affidavit to the special leave petitions within two weeks. Rejoinder affidavit, if any, may be filed within a week thereafter.

It appears that S.L.P. (Crl.) No.4033 of 2013 against the same judgement is pending in this Court. In addition, a writ petition, being W.P. (C) No.435 of 2012, is said to be pending before the Forest Bench, which also is to some extent concerned with the M.B. Shah Commission Report.

Having regard to the above, let this matter be heard along with S.L.P. (Crl.) No.4033 of 2013 at an early date. Liberty is given to the parties to mention the matter for early hearing once the pleadings are complete. The parties will also be at liberty to mention the matter before the Forest Bench for similar directions.

**In the meantime, the impugned directions of the High Court shall remain stayed."**

Accordingly a common show cause notice was issued to all the eight respondents in the matter through registered A.D. Post.

It is submitted that Ms. Jyoti Mehndiratta, Advocate has filed vakalat/ appearance on behalf of Respondent No. 1. Mr. B. V. Balramdas, Advocate has filed vakalatnama/ appearance on behalf of Respondent Nos. 5 and 8. Neither A.D. Card nor unserved envelop have been received back in the registry in respect of Respondent Nos. 2, 3, 4, 6 & 7 (State of Goa) so far. Hence service of show cause notice is not complete in these matters. However, Respondent State of Goa is represented through Mr. T. Mahipal, Advocate in Special Leave Petition (Crl.) No. 4033 of 2013.

The matters above mentioned are listed before the Hon'ble Court with this office report.

DATED this the 27<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2013.

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